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TO AMCONSUL BELIZE

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E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS:ETRD, GSP, BH

SUBJECT:BELIZE PRESENTATION AT GSP HEARINGS

REFS: (A) BELIZE 0777, (B) 75 STATE 277543

1. GSP SUBCOMMITTEE APPRECIATED THE WELL-PREPARED PRESENTATION BY BELIZE MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY PERDOMO DURING THE HEARINGS ON CONCENTRATED CITRUS JUICE. WE WERE DISMAYED, HOWEVER, BY THE FACT--UNCOVERED IN QUESTIONING-- THAT PERDOMO WAS UNAWARE THAT GSP, IF GRANTED, WOULD APPLY TO ALL BENEFICIARY COUNTRIES (EXCEPT FOR THOSE EXCLUDED BY COMPLETITIVE NEED, SEE PARA 13A, REF B) INCLUDING SOME WITH WHOM BELIZE CURRENTLY HAS A HARD TIME COMPETING.

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2. ACTION REQUESTED: REQUEST CONSULATE EXPRESS TO PERDOMO IN AN APPROPRIATE MANNER THE FEELING OF GSP SUBCOMMITTEE THAT HIS PRESENTATION WAS OF HIGH QUALITY, AND TO EXPRESS OUR REGRET OVER THE MISUNDERSTANDING ABOUT WHO WOULD BENEFIT FROM THE ADDITION OF CITRUS JUICE TO GSP. WHILE NO FINAL DECISION HAS YET BEEN MADE ON ANY OF THE PRODUCTS IN THIS REVIEW, GSP SUBCOMMITTEE FOUND PERDOMO'S STATEMENT EXTREMELY

USEFUL FOR ITS DELIBERATIONS. VANCE

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